

OUR PROFIT-SHARING SALE

Is yet in full swing. Bargains galore is passing from our stock into the hands of our customers. Our old friends are busy picking out the bargains best suited to their individual necessities.

New customers are being added to our array of satisfied patrons. WHOOP UP! and get your share of the liberal profits we offer.

Sale Closes Next Saturday, July 27, 1912.

There Will be Abundance of Bargains Right up to the Last Minute.

You will see **SOMETHING NEW** Every Time You Come.

To Share in the Profits You Must Pay Cash or Produce Checks **FOR YOUR PURCHASES**

NOTHING RESERVED. EVERY ITEM RECEIVES A 10 PER CENT. CUT

E. P. BARNES @ BROTHER,

BEAVER DAM, KENTUCKY.

Our Letter Box

Editors Republican:

Will you be good enough to allow me to address a parting word through the Republican, to you and twenty-nine other fellow passengers who announce an intention of deserting the Grand Old Ship and taking to the boats on the 25th inst.

I shall disappoint those among you who may look for caustic criticism or dogmatic intolerance in what I am going to say. I concede to you a 100 high purpose with myself to accomplish the ends of good government, but since in the natural course of things honest difference of opinion must occur, I invite your toleration for a comparison of our positions.

For more than half a century the Republican and Democratic parties have been the responsible agencies for resisting the will of the people in matters of government.

Will one or the other of these forces direct the policies of the country for the next four years? If so are you not playing directly into the hands of the Democrats? Or do you believe your new party will gather forces enough to win at this election? If you believe you can win this year then your position cannot be justly criticized by your former political associates. But with the Democrats united as they have not been before in thirty years can the Republican voters dividing between two candidates hope to elect either of them? Only upon the assumption of the final disintegration of the Republican party could you hope to build a new one. But is it profitable that a party that has repeatedly guided the progress of the country for fifty years should, without radically revising its policy or future to accomplish results, go into total dissolution? While a storm of unrest is sweeping this along with other countries, our National administration is not open to the criticism of failing to provide conditions of prosperity. The three conditions of high prices and laborers everywhere employed at remunerative wages, are present. A party with such a record, past and present, cannot fairly be expected to yield to passing demand for a leap into the dark.

The people of the age are conservative and, acting through time, can be

fully trusted to untangle the skein of confused issues, and a few names of us will keep the old house open and in such order as we can fill you boys have your outing and be ready to welcome you back to the old homestead. We shall not be able to kill for you the fatted calf nor give you a new coat for the Democrats will have long since devoured the former and reduced the latter to rags.

In the meantime the Democrats will capture the nation and most of the states and counties, but when you boys get home we will open our collars and roll up our coat sleeves and all pull together in the good year 1916.

J. H. THOMAS,
Narrows, Ky.

Hartford, Ky., July 25 1912.

Editor Hartford Republican:

We desire, through the columns of your paper, to say a few things as believe are of interest to the general public but are addressed more particularly to the citizens of this town.

Nothing is more essential to the happiness and prosperity of any community than the good health of the individuals composing its citizenship. If we are correctly informed, there is now but one case of serious illness in the town. Considering the season of the year, the general sanitary condition of the town, the almost incessant rainfall and the extremely hot weather, we are indeed fortunate in this respect and ought to be thankful that it is as well with us as it is. However, we cannot hope for the continued good health of our people except immediate attention is had and the present condition of some things be changed.

Cleanliness, we have learned from history if not from actual experience, is not only conducive but absolutely necessary to good health. It is necessary not only in the individual but in his surroundings. It is universally true that the failure to give proper attention to the care of one's person or the place of his habitation, whether caused by neglect or indifference, is certain to produce a condition which begets filth. With eventually breeds disease, which causes loss of time, expenditure of money and suffering and sometimes results in death.

For the good that we may do not only to ourselves but for our neighbors and friends as well, we intend, Mr. Editor, with your permission and will, if we find it necessary, to do so, in order to bring about a change of the present existing condition of some things in this town, give the names of the individual responsible and the

description of these conditions and point out the particular places where they exist. We will write more particularly concerning public property and public officials charged with the duty of its maintenance and care, but if we find dangerous, unsafe conditions existing on private property, such as to warrant the attention of the county or municipal authorities being called to it, we will so state and give the name of the persons responsible for this condition and the name of the official charged with the duty of looking after it.

We promise you in every instance where names are given and definite conditions and particular places are stated, to furnish you, for your own protection, a photograph of such condition and place where the condition and place permit it, the name of the photographer who made the photograph, when it was taken and the names of the persons present, or if the condition or the place be such as that this can not be done, then to furnish a map or diagram of the same made by a competent civil engineer and surveyor stating his name and the time when the measurements were had and the persons present, and if required to support such of these photographs, maps and diagrams, by the affidavit of two reputable persons.

It will be of some expense to us to do this, we will have no little trouble, doubtless, in getting persons who can, but some of whom at least will not consent, for lack of individual interest, to make these affidavits. We are, however, sufficiently interested in these matters to do this and to try and induce others to help us bring about a change which may remove these dangerous and unsafe conditions, whether they exist on the public square, in the public streets or on private property.

We will not in this article tell any individual names, define any particular condition or point out any particular location where these conditions exist. We are looking, at this moment, out of a window at the remains of what at one time was a fence around the court house and particularly at a spot in the court house yard near where the gate was once located in the north entrance of the public square. This particular spot evidences the fact that it has, by continued servitude, long since been dedicated to perform the function of a garbage can and by common consent and usage served the purpose of a public dump. Incidentally, our attention is called to the flourishing condition of the weeds and the numerous brush piles in the streets between this window and that particu-

lar spot. Every man who comes to town, whether he owns a "hou-dawg" or not, can see these things.

We want the citizens of this town to take a look around them. It may be that weeds are flourishing using some of our own side walks, if not there, perchance we may find them and possibly other debris in the rear of our premises or on some adjacent vacant lot. We will not say anything to our neighbor about the condition of his premises but look after our own, probably he has been waiting for us to do this, we will not dedicate this work to others but will see to it in person, then we will know how and when it was done. If we do this, our name, in all probability will not be coupled with the name of any other person, should the public chance to make uncomplimentary remarks concerning other folks while discussing these things and no photograph will be had, menapical or otherwise, of the condition of our premises which we might desire to own.

A. CITIZEN.

Notice to Tax Payers.

Deputy Sheriff S. O. Krown will be at the following places on day named to collect your taxes.

- Sulphur Springs, July 26.
- Deanfield, July 31.
- Herbert, August 1.
- Trisler, August 2, forenoon.
- Shreve, August 2, afternoon.
- Fordaville, August 3.
- Beaver Dam, August 5.
- Centertown, August 6.
- Mastans, August 7, forenoon.
- Point Pleasant, August 7, afternoon.
- Smallhouse, August 8, forenoon.
- Cordova, August 8, afternoon.
- McHenry, August 10.
- Rockport, August 12.
- Wysox, August 14.
- Prindis, August 17, forenoon.
- Cromwell, August 17, afternoon.

T. H. BLACK, S. O. C.

The Bull Moose.

(To the Philadelphia North American)
The bullmoose looks good to me.
The elephant is a big, strong, thick-skinned beast, with just enough brains to take orders blindly from his duty little boss, who sits astride his neck and gabs him behind the ears with his spike. No matter how cruelly he is jabbed and spiked, the elephant hasn't sense enough to shake off his little master boss.
The donkey is a tough, enduring animal, but always likely at any minute, for any reason or no reason at all, to kick or balk, either smashing

up everything behind him, with no particular object in view except to smash, or else refusing to take a step forward.

But the bullmoose is a fine American two-horned fighter, who knows why he has his horns and where he has them; who cannot be bossed; who cannot be kicked at the price of his life, and who always fronts his enemy.

A. BULLMOOSE.

Philadelphia, July 16.

Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky.

In the matter of Claude Wilson, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of Claude Wilson, of Fordville, in the County of Ohio, and District aforesaid, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of July, A. D. 1912 the said Claude Wilson was duly adjudged bankrupt, and that the first meeting

of creditors will be held at the law office of Dean & Dean, in Owensboro, Kentucky, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1912, at 2 p. m. at which time said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Petition filed July 12, 1912.
J. A. DEAN,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Owensboro, Ky., July 22 1912.

House for Sale in Beaver Dam.

A splendid cottage in the Ronder addition in Beaver Dam, Ky., in good condition, and including four town lots are for sale if sold at once. Residence is now being repaired. A bargain is offered. Call on or address,

BARNETT & FOSTER,
Hartford, Ky.

Constipation causes dizziness. Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets will help you.

UNCLE SAM TAKES MATTER IN HAND

Subscribers Must Pay or Stop Paper.

The Republican has received from the Postmaster General at Washington a request for a statement of the circulation of this paper together with the subscribers who are one or more years in arrears. This must be done, according to this official order at once.

There are a number of our subscribers, who largely on account of neglect and the amount due being small, are one year or more in arrears, and all of them will necessarily have to be taken off our list unless their subscription is paid in advance at once. Any name taken off does not release the person from their obligation to pay their back subscription, so the Post Office Department rules.

It is not a matter of unwillingness on our part to extend credit to our friends and patrons. There is not one on our list in arrears that we do not believe intends to pay the amount due, yet we are compelled by law to discontinue the paper to them. This, of course, applies to all subscribers regardless of financial standing, and we earnestly appeal to those who are so much as one year in arrears to call at our office at once and settle, or remit by mail the amount due. We can then continue the paper but otherwise we cannot. We do not want to lose a single one of our subscribers and your prompt attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated. Look at the label on your paper and if you are in arrears settle up at once.